

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: James Phan
KAZUMI KIMURA)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2872
Application No.: 10/734,210)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 4777
Filed: December 15, 2003)	
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For: SCANNING OPTICAL SYSTEM)	July 14, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 13, 2008, and further in response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2008, Applicant hereby elects the claims designated as Group I, that is, Claims 1-24 and 26-27 for further examination on the merits. As for a response to the requirement for an election of species, Applicant elects Species A which, as noted in the April 4 Office Action, is associated with the elected claims.

The Examiner is hereby authorized to charge fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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